

# **WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

**SHERIFF JEFFREY J. MURPHY**



## **2016 ANNUAL REPORT**



# MISSION STATEMENT



The mission of the Office of the Sheriff is to provide professional public safety services to all those within Washington County.

The Office of the Sheriff will maintain a secure, safe and orderly correctional facility that recognizes the dignity of all inmates while adhering to the standards and guidelines set forth by the New York Commission of Corrections.

The Office of Sheriff will serve by protecting individual rights, safeguarding public and private property, assisting with emergency situations, and performing other essential law enforcement services.

The Office of Sheriff will maintain the highest level of integrity, while working diligently and professionally to provide a safe environment for the public and our staff.

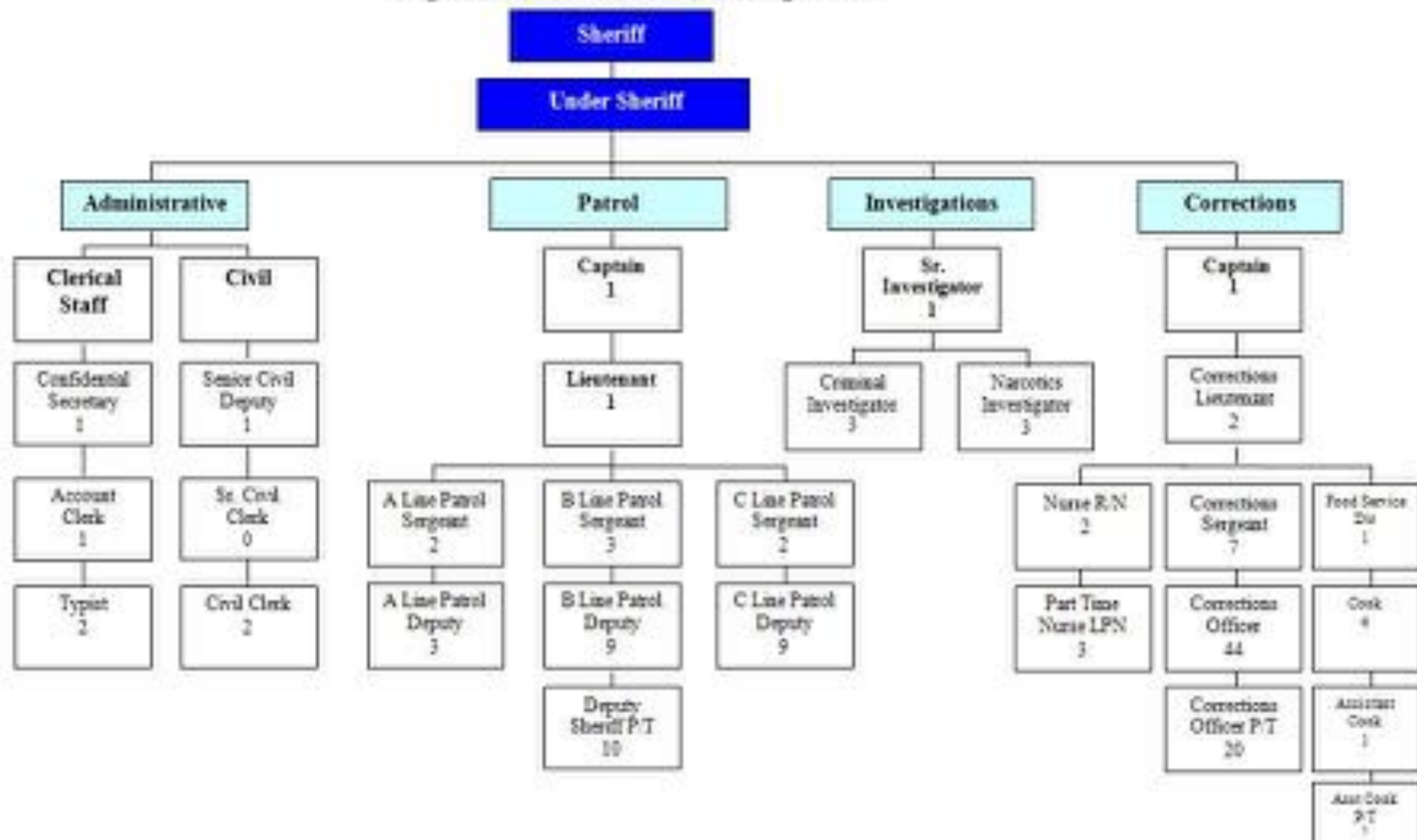
# Washington County Sheriff's Office



Jeffrey J. Murphy  
Sheriff

John A. Winchell  
Undersheriff

## 2016 Organizational Chart / Staffing levels





# **CORRECTIONS DIVISION**



**The Washington County Correctional Facility is capable of holding up to 183\* inmates at full capacity.**

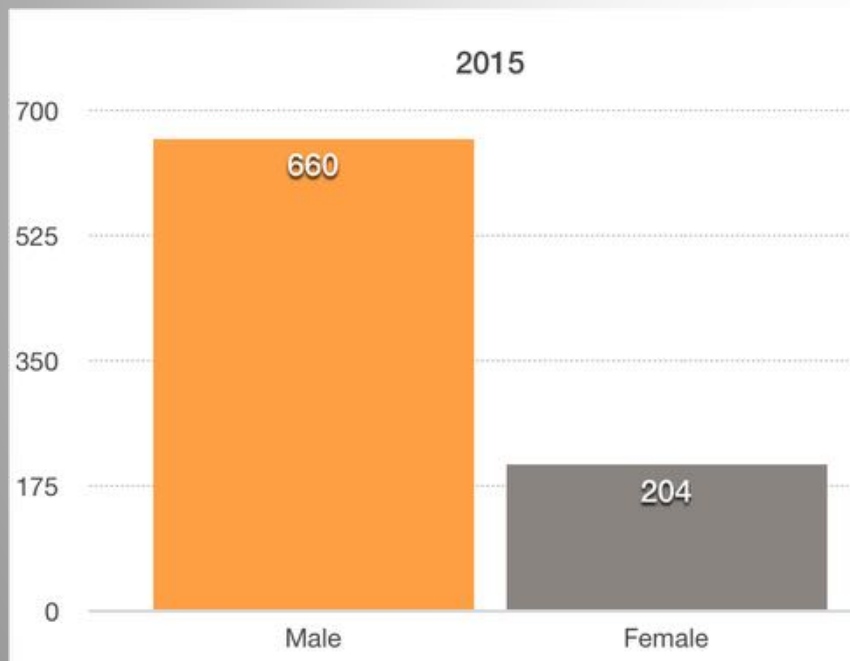
**In 2016 a total of 843 people were booked into the facility on various charges from all sources.**

**Of those, 625 were males and 218 were females.**

**8,001 people passed through the lobby and visited inmates housed in the facility in 2016.**

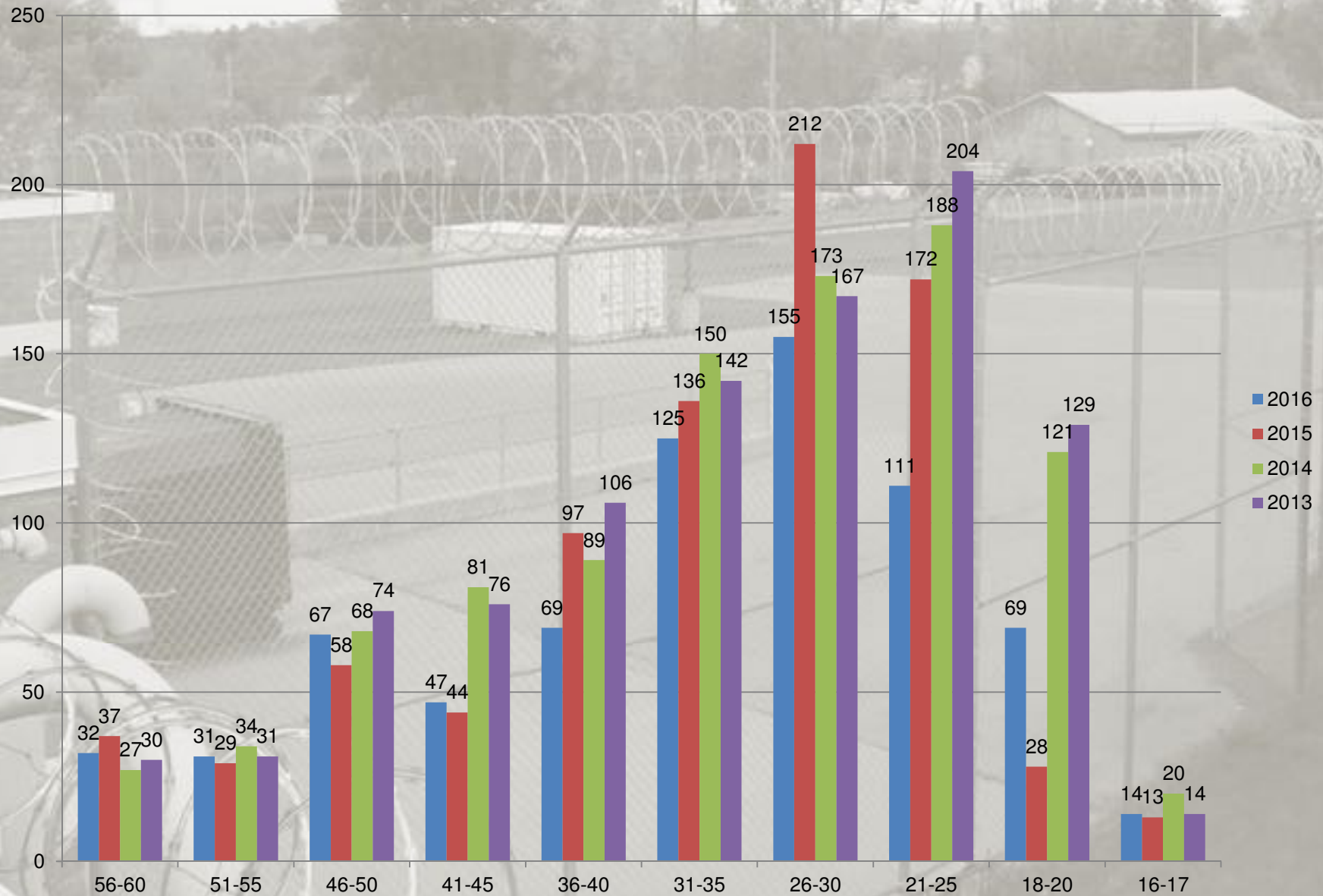
**A total 25 inmates were boarded-in resulting in \$82,195.00 in revenue. A decrease of \$40,290.00 from 2015.**

# WASHINGTON COUNTY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY HOUSED BY SEX 2015 / 2016



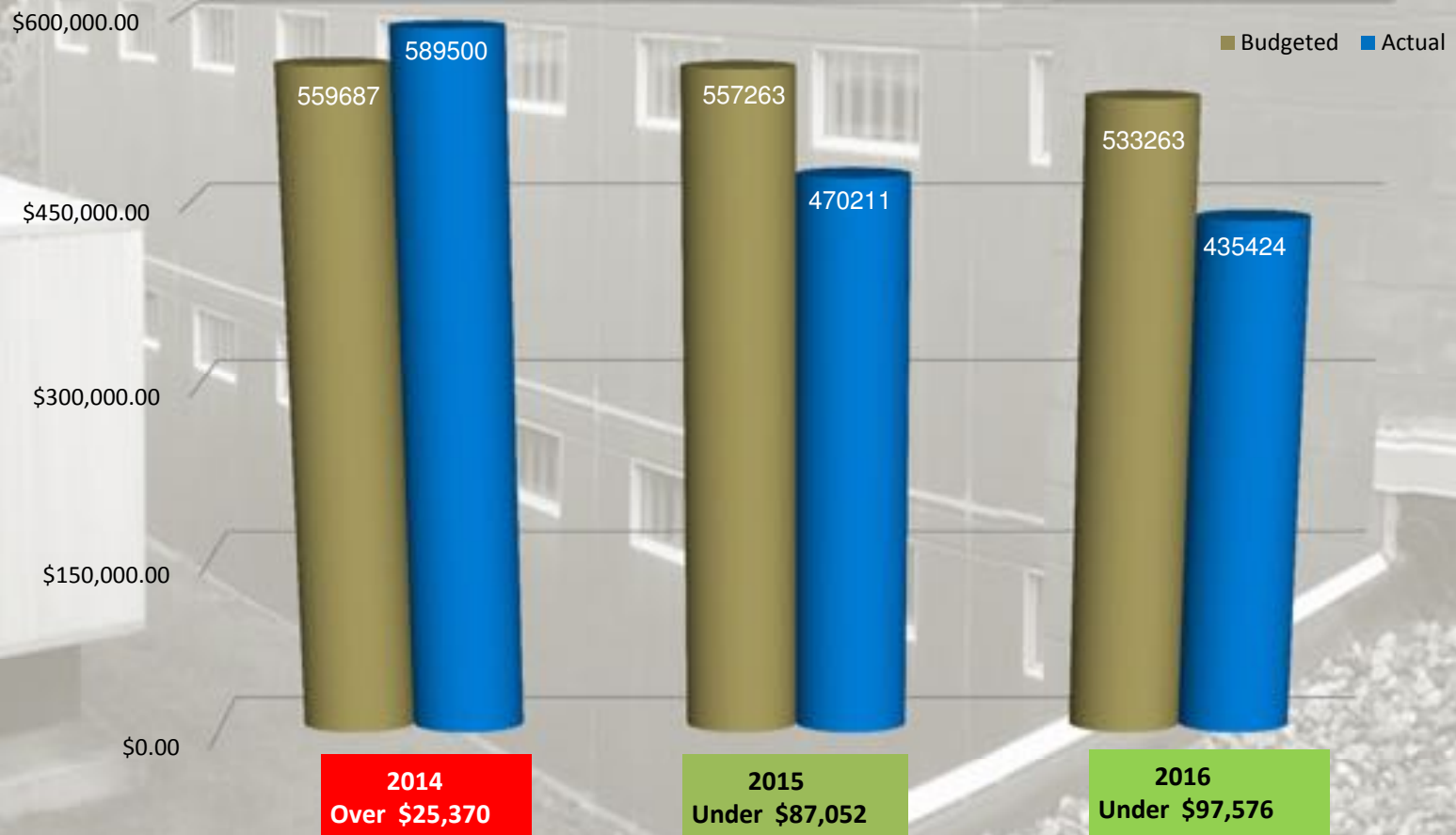
# WASHINGTON COUNTY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY

## INMATES HOUSED BY AGE



# CORRECTIONS OVERTIME / STAFFING

Overtime declined again in 2016. We continue to address Corrections staffing issues each year and hope to hire new officers from the Civil Service list this year to fill vacancies.





# FOOD SERVICES DIVISION



**83,895 Jail meals were served in 2016.**

**82,619 Office for the Aging meals were served in 2016.**

**2016 Combined Revenues to the County from meal service totaled \$383,128.00 an increase of \$30,590.00 compared to 2015.**



# CIVIL DIVISION



# **2016 CIVIL DIVISION**

**702 Family Court papers served**

**491 In County Processes**

**119 Out of County Processes**

**83 Emergency Orders Of Protections**

**9 Out of County Orders of Protections**

**882 Income / Property Executions**

**Transactions of all types for the  
Pistol Permit Bureau totaled 4,145 up 1581 from 2015.**

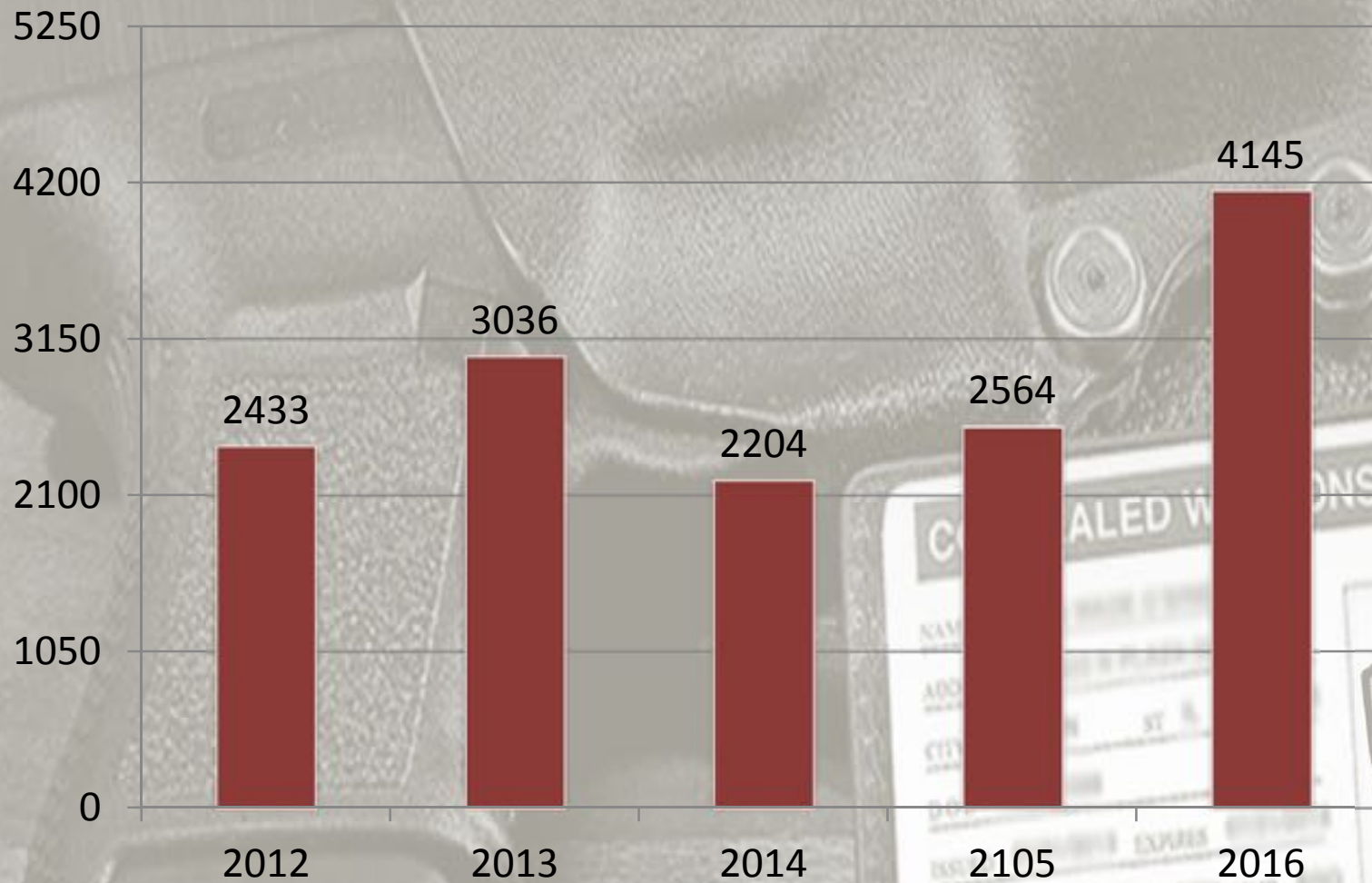
**Total receipts to the County for 2016 were \$188,230.00, a  
increase of \$46,523.71 from 2015.**

**Total funds processed through Civil \$936,772.71**



# PISTOL PERMITS

Total Transactions



# LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION





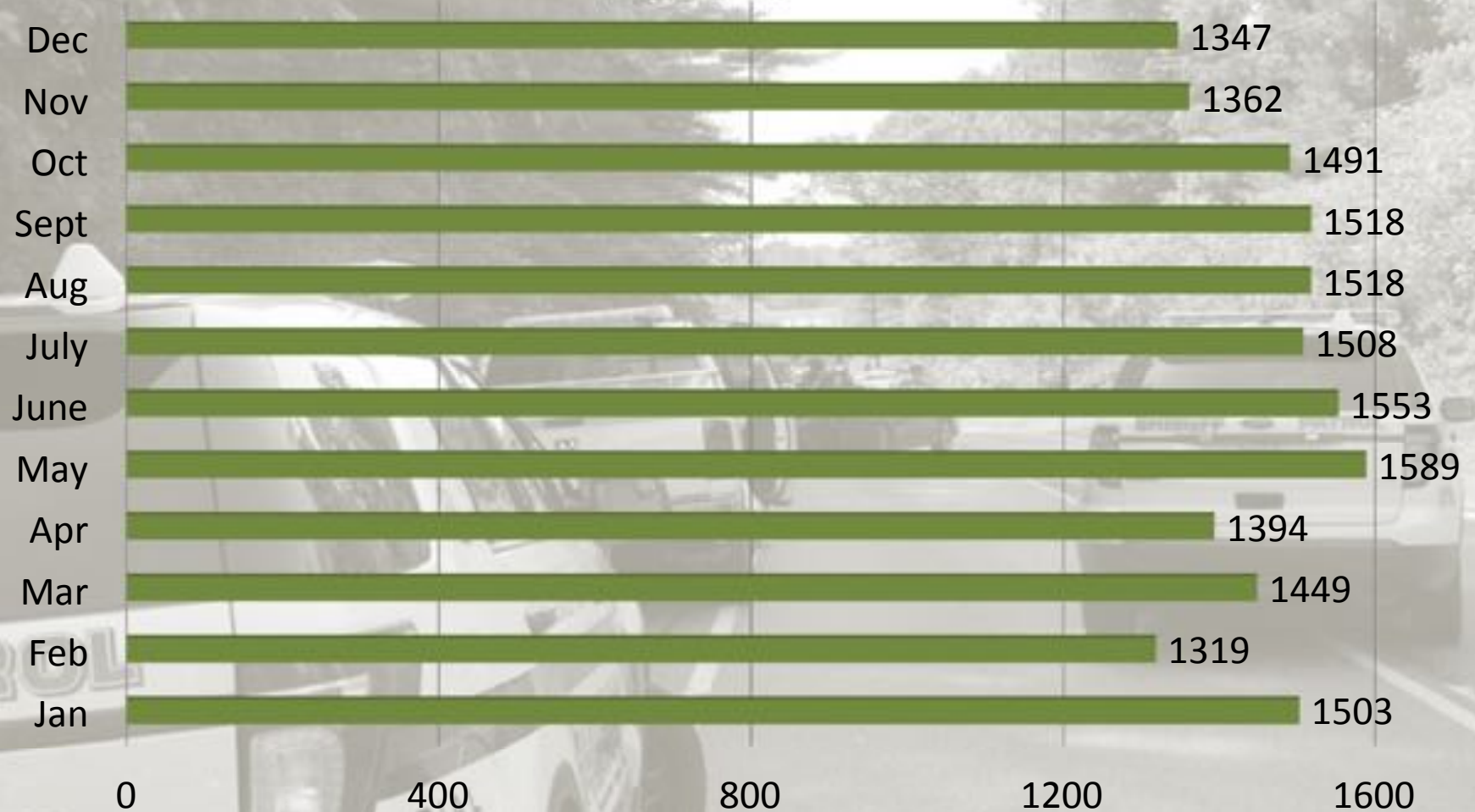
# **CALLS FOR SERVICE BY MONTH 2016**



JANUARY	1503
FEBRUARY	1319
MARCH	1449
APRIL	1394
MAY	1589
JUNE	1553
JULY	1508
AUGUST	1518
SEPTEMBER	1518
OCTOBER	1491
NOVEMBER	1362
DECEMEBER	1347

**TOTAL:17,551**

# CALLS FOR SERVICE BY MONTH 2016



Total calls for service for 2016 is 17,551

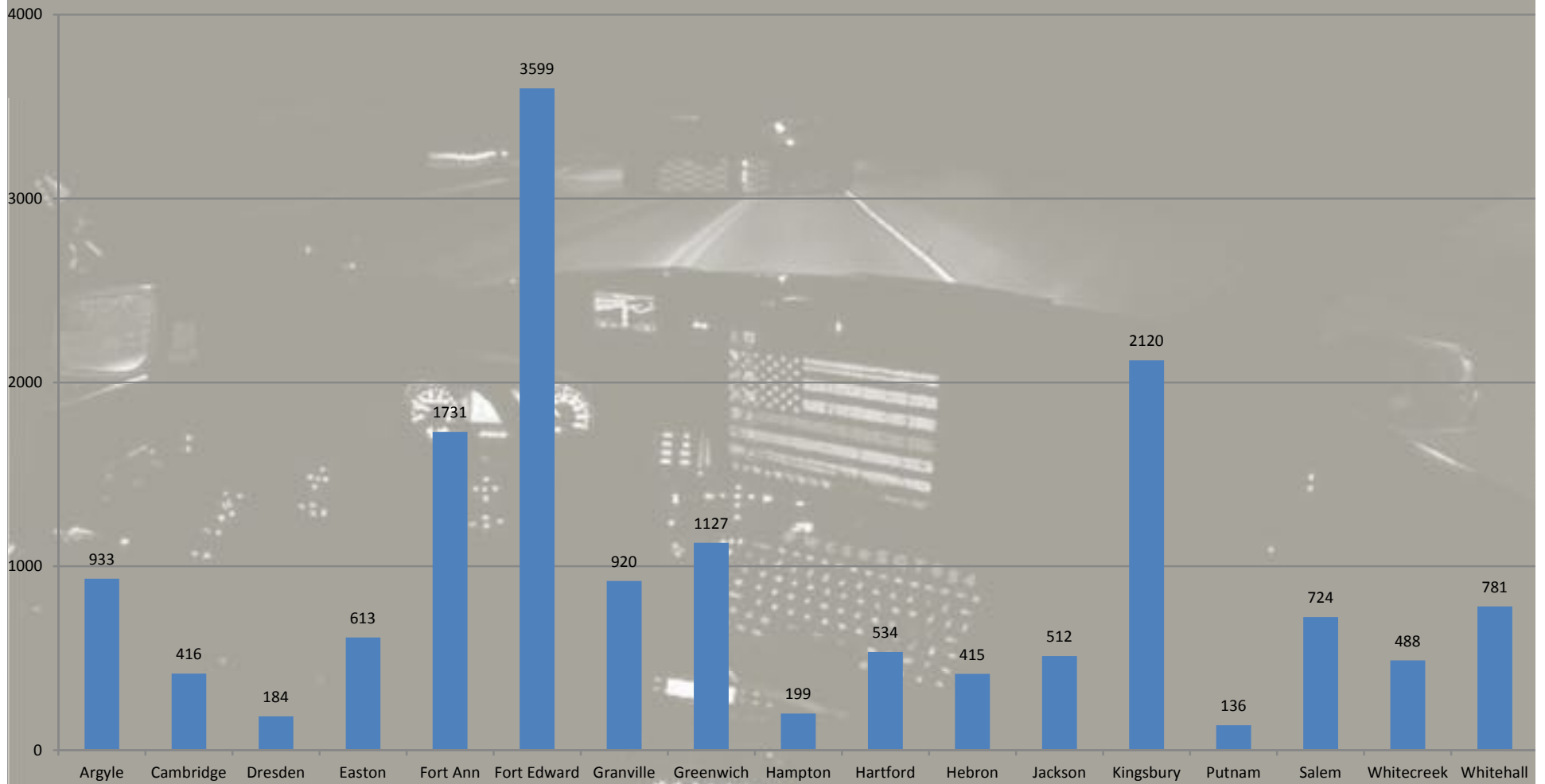
*(These numbers do not include State Police or other agencies calls)*

# **CALLS FOR SERVICE BY TOWNSHIP 2016**

ARGYLE	933
CAMBRIDGE	416
DRESDEN	184
EASTON	613
FORT ANN	1731
FORT EDWARD	3599
GRANVILLE	920
GREENWICH	1127
HAMPTON	199
HARTFORD	534
HEBRON	415
JACKSON	512
KINGSBURY	2120
OTHER	2119
PUTNAM	136
SALEM	724
WHITE CREEK	488
WHITEHALL	781

**TOTAL:17,551**

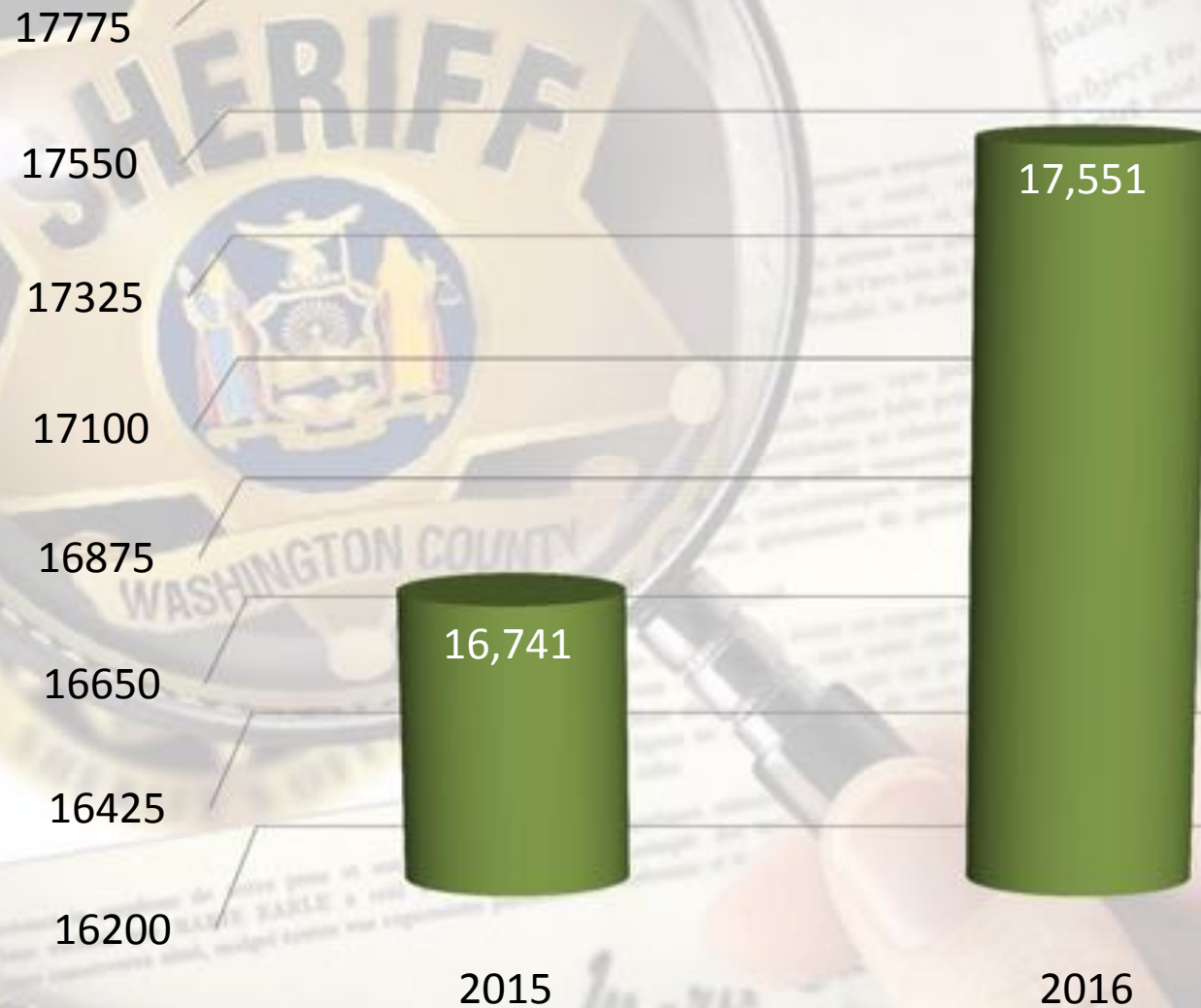
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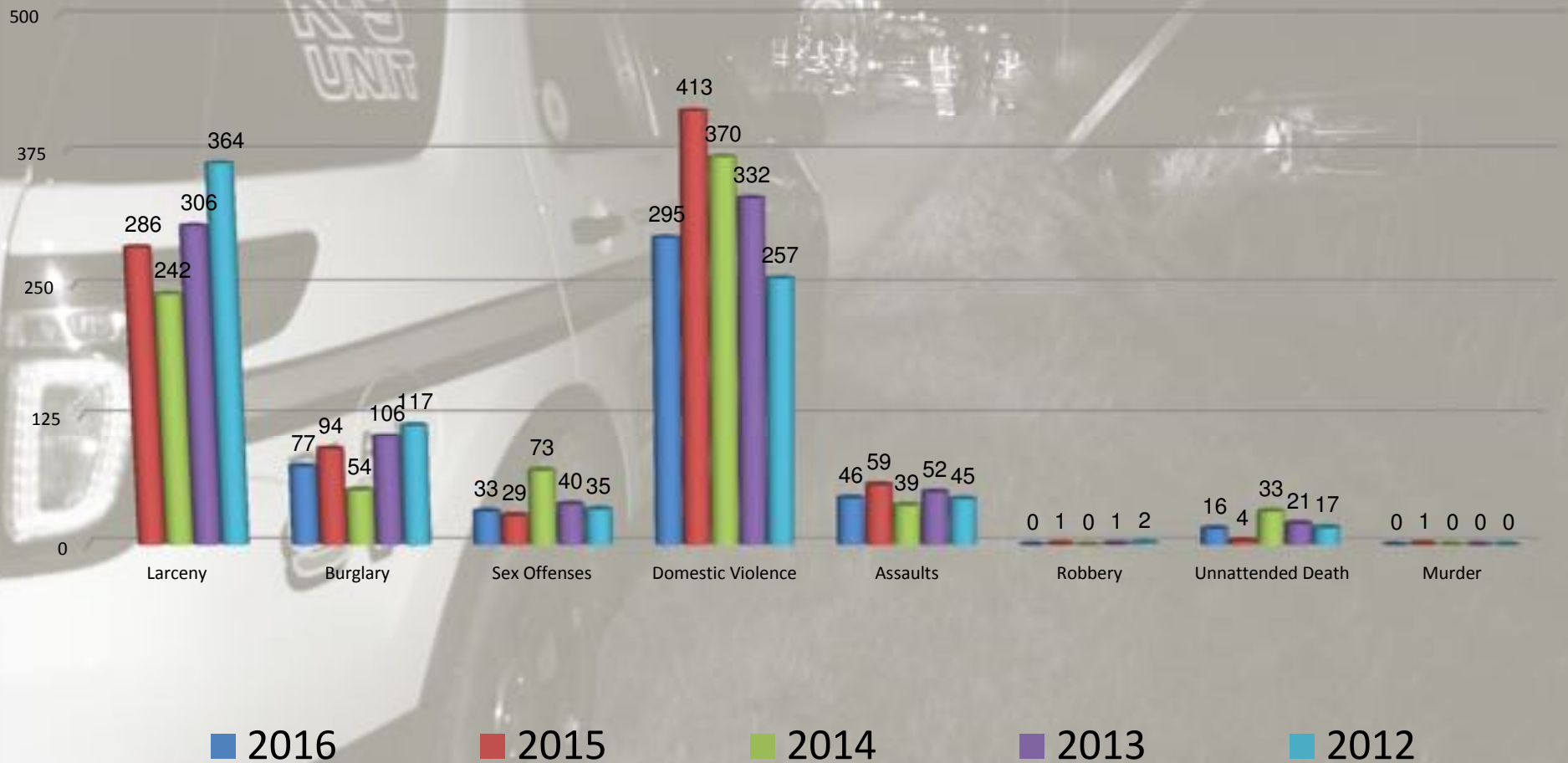


# 2015 / 2016 Calls For Service

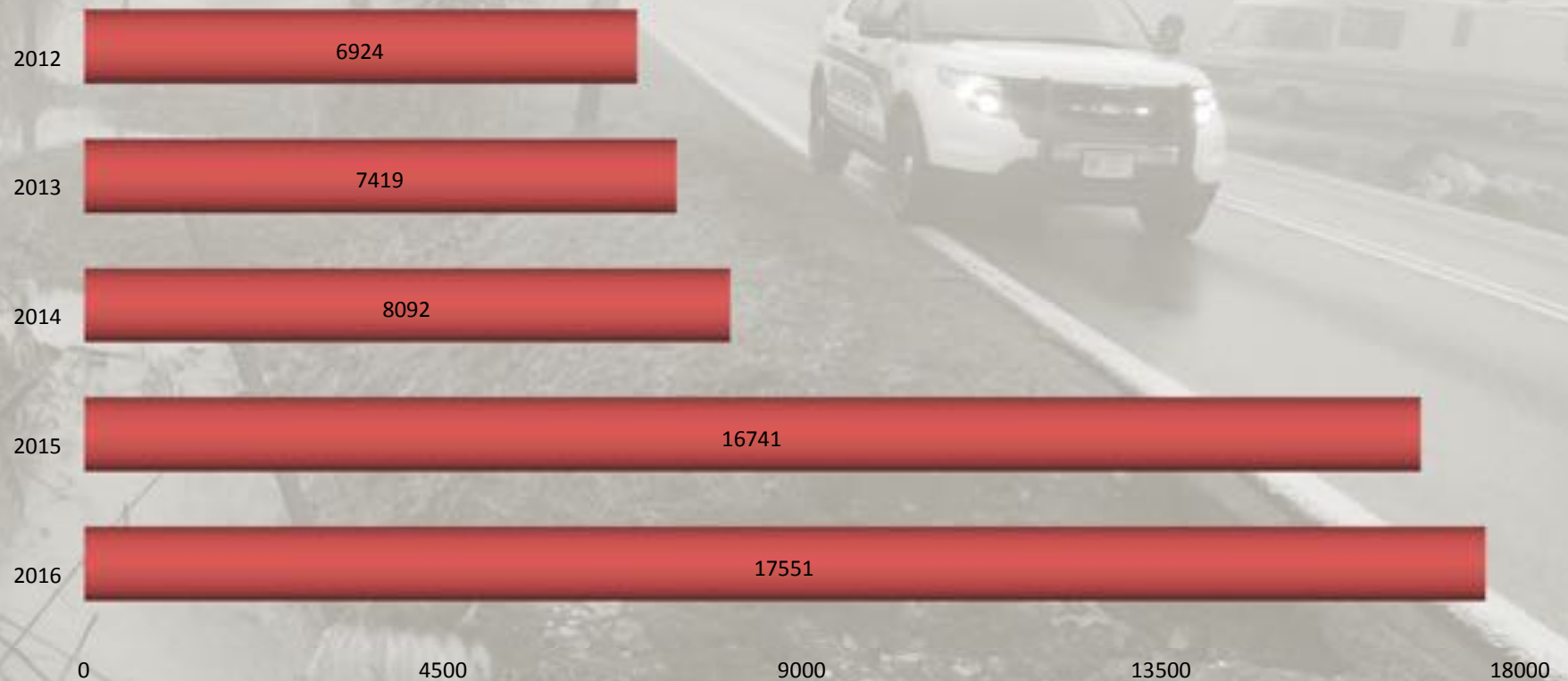


# CRIMES BY TYPE

## YEARLY BREAKDOWN

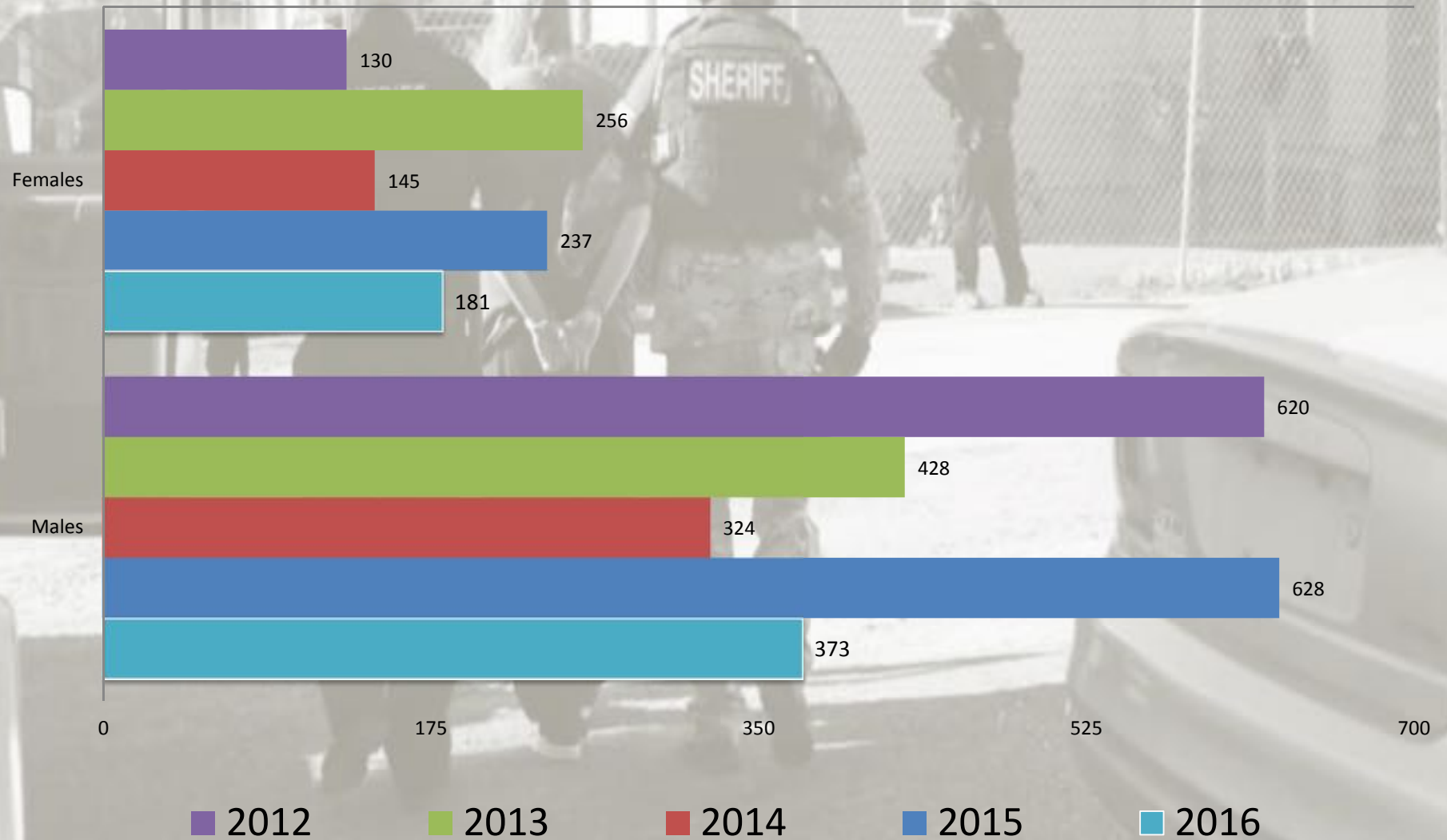


# SHERIFFS OFFICE CALLS FOR SERVICE COMPARISON BY YEAR



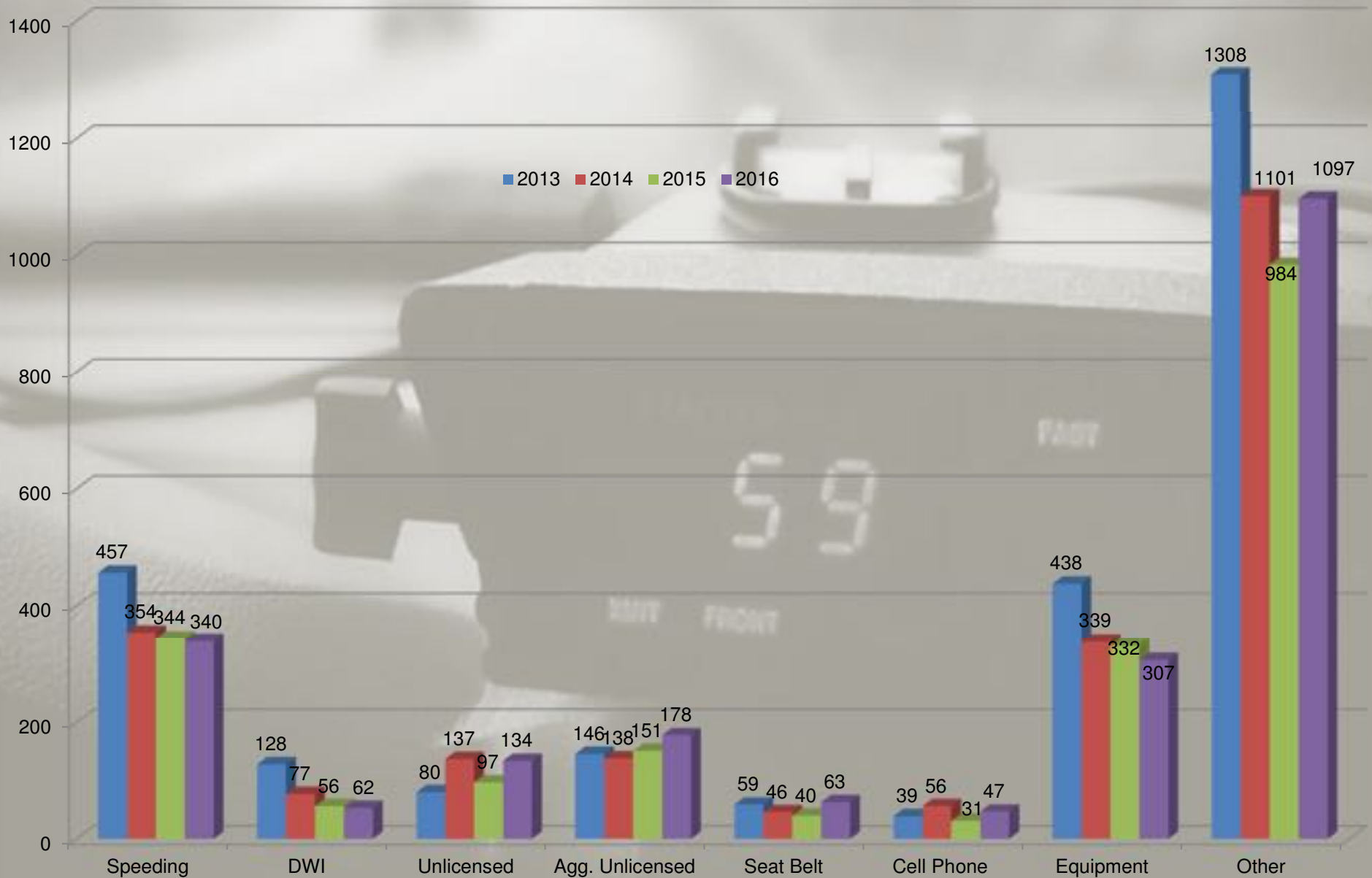
Total calls for service show a continued increase in 2016 with 810 more calls than 2015  
(These numbers do not include State Police or other agencies calls)

# ARREST COMPARISON BY YEAR

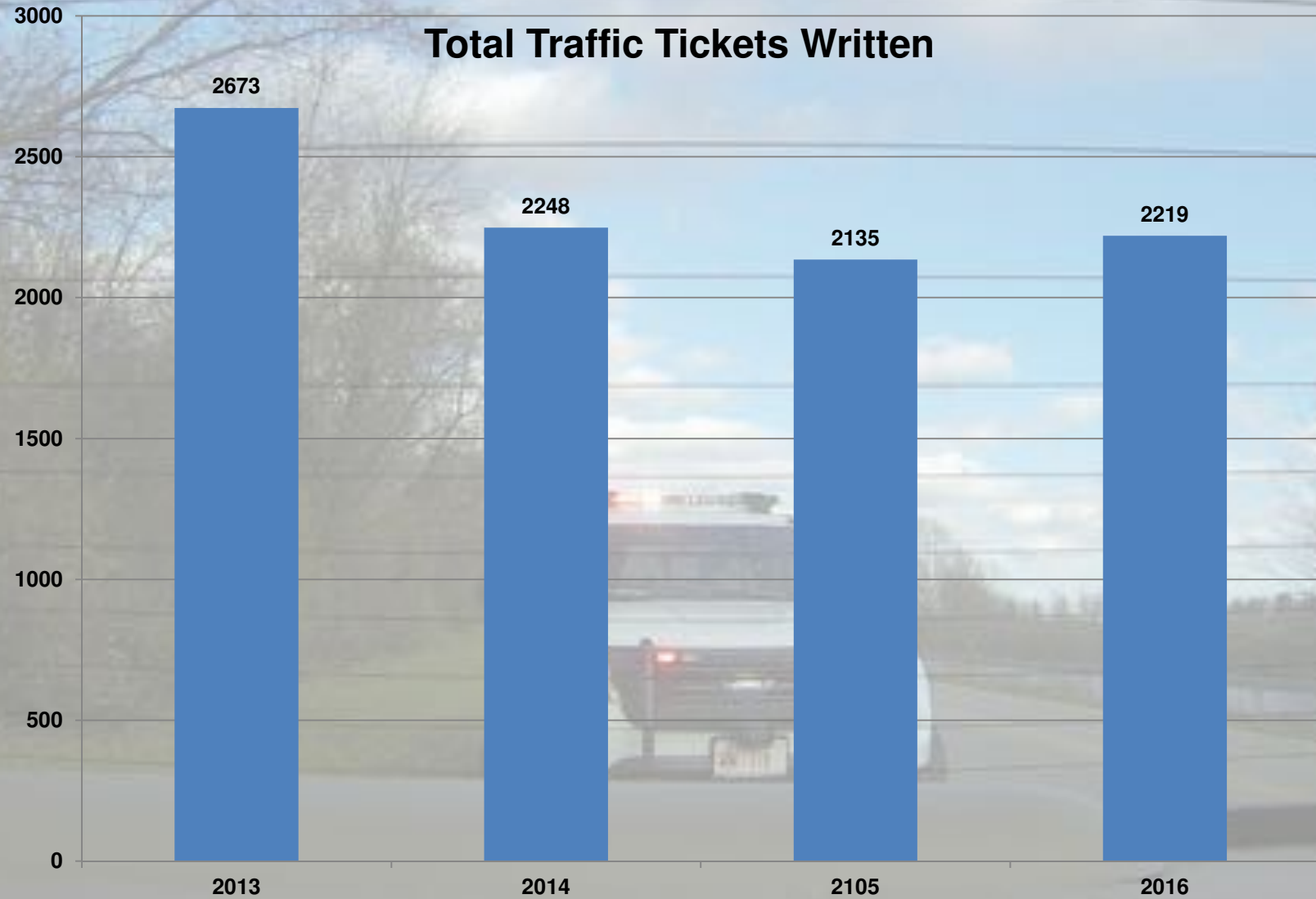




# SHERIFFS OFFICE TRAFFIC TICKETS COMPARISON BY YEAR



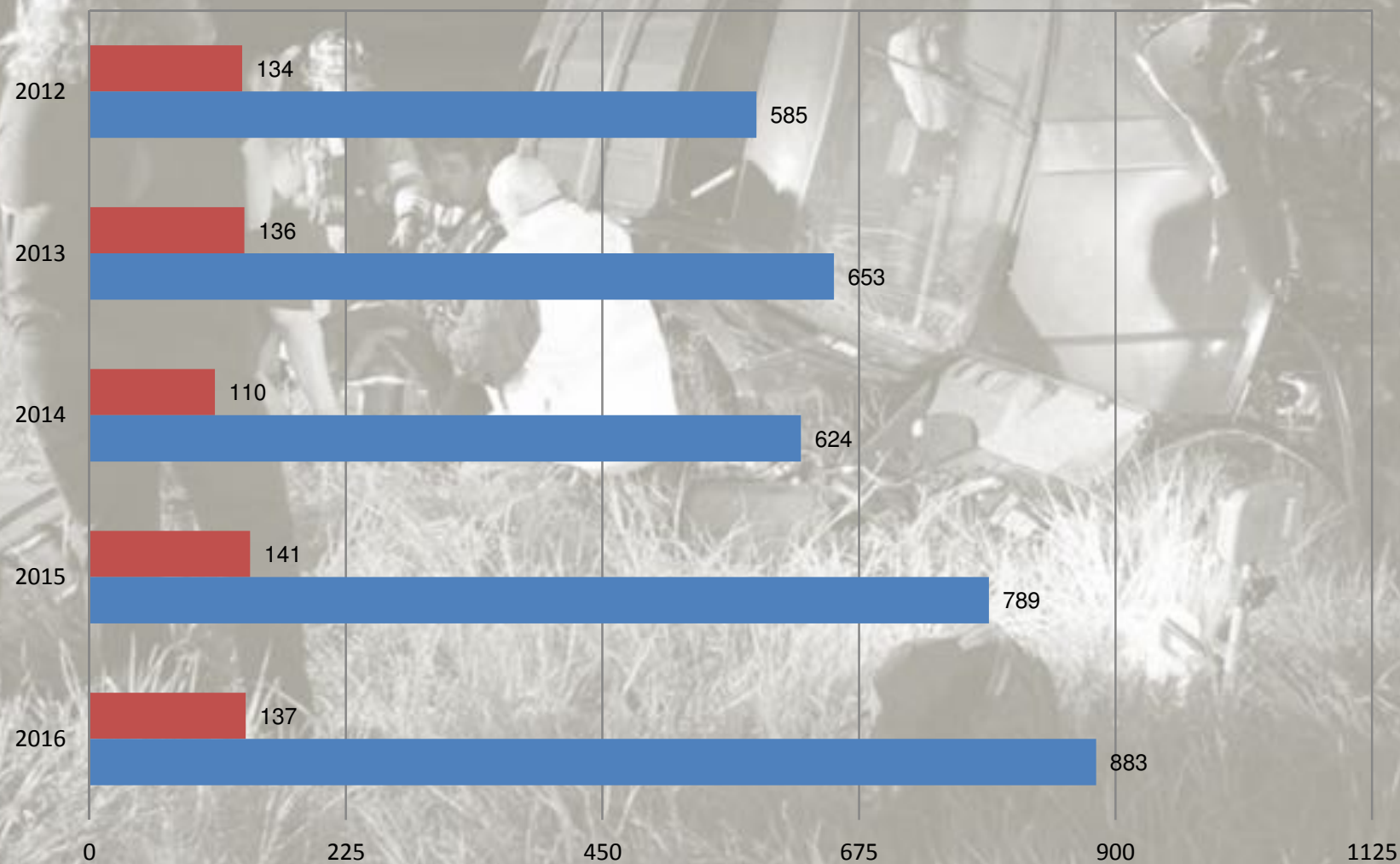
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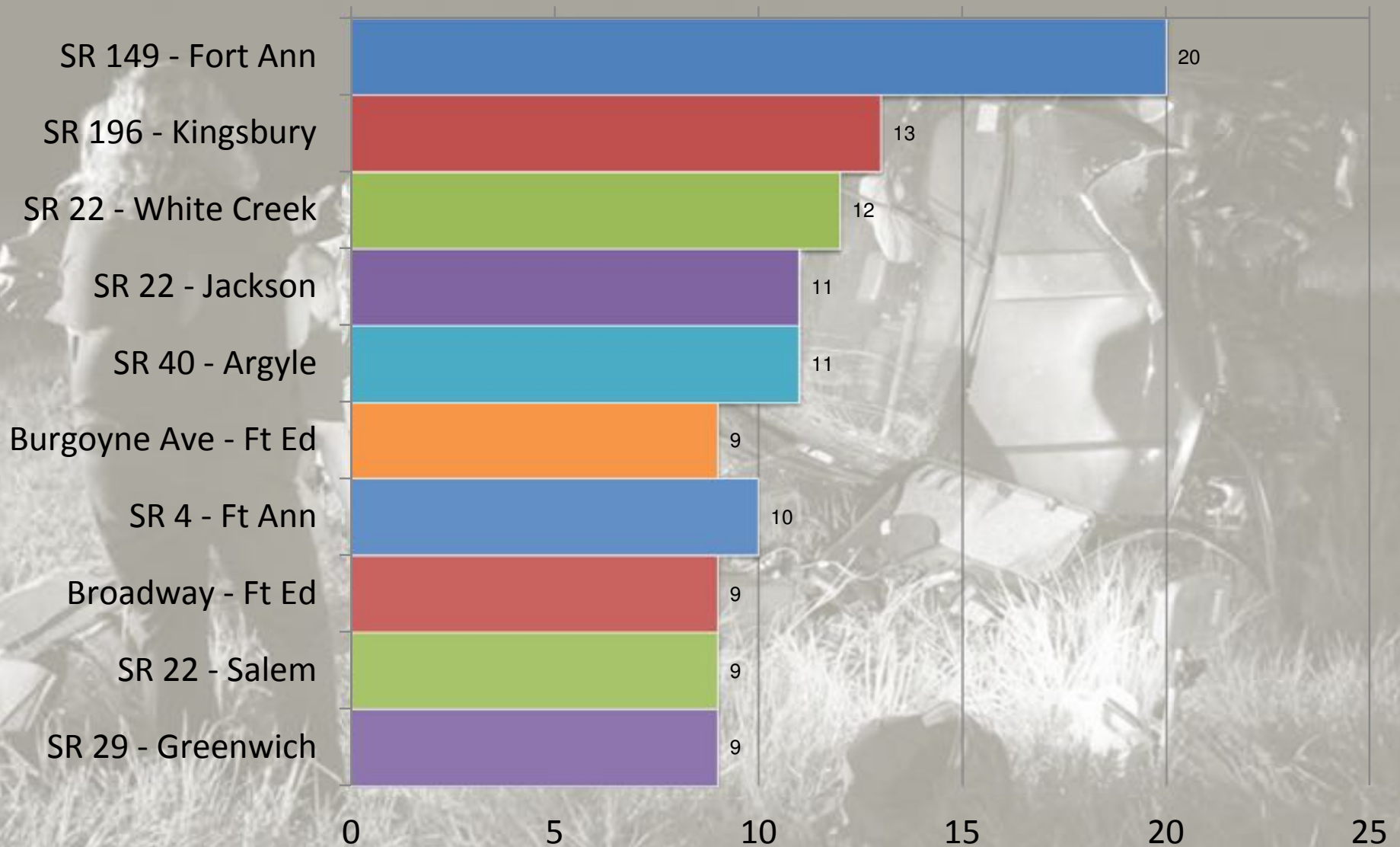
# ANNUAL MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS BY TYPE

■ Personal Injury

■ Property Damage

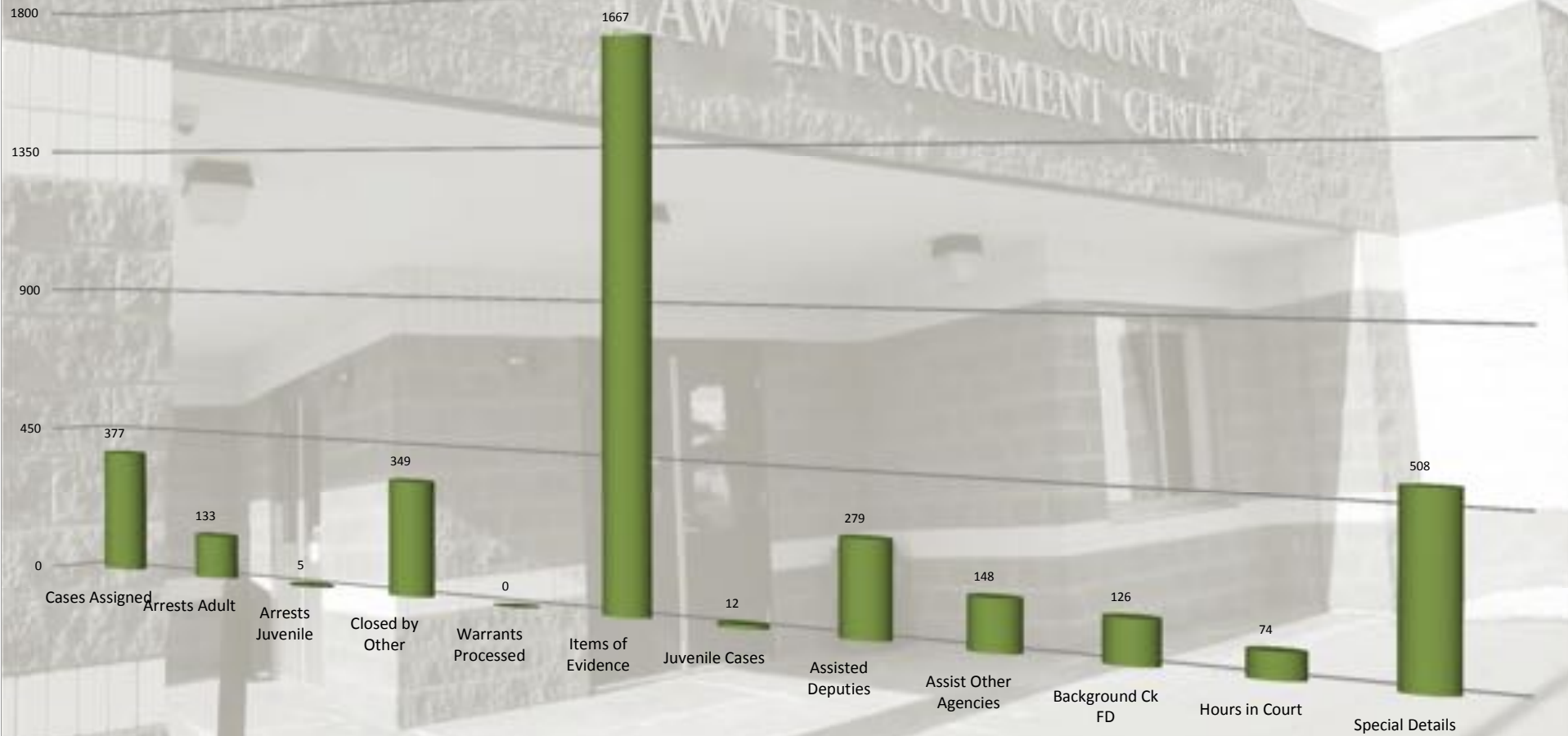


# TOP 10 TRAFFIC ACCIDENT LOCATIONS





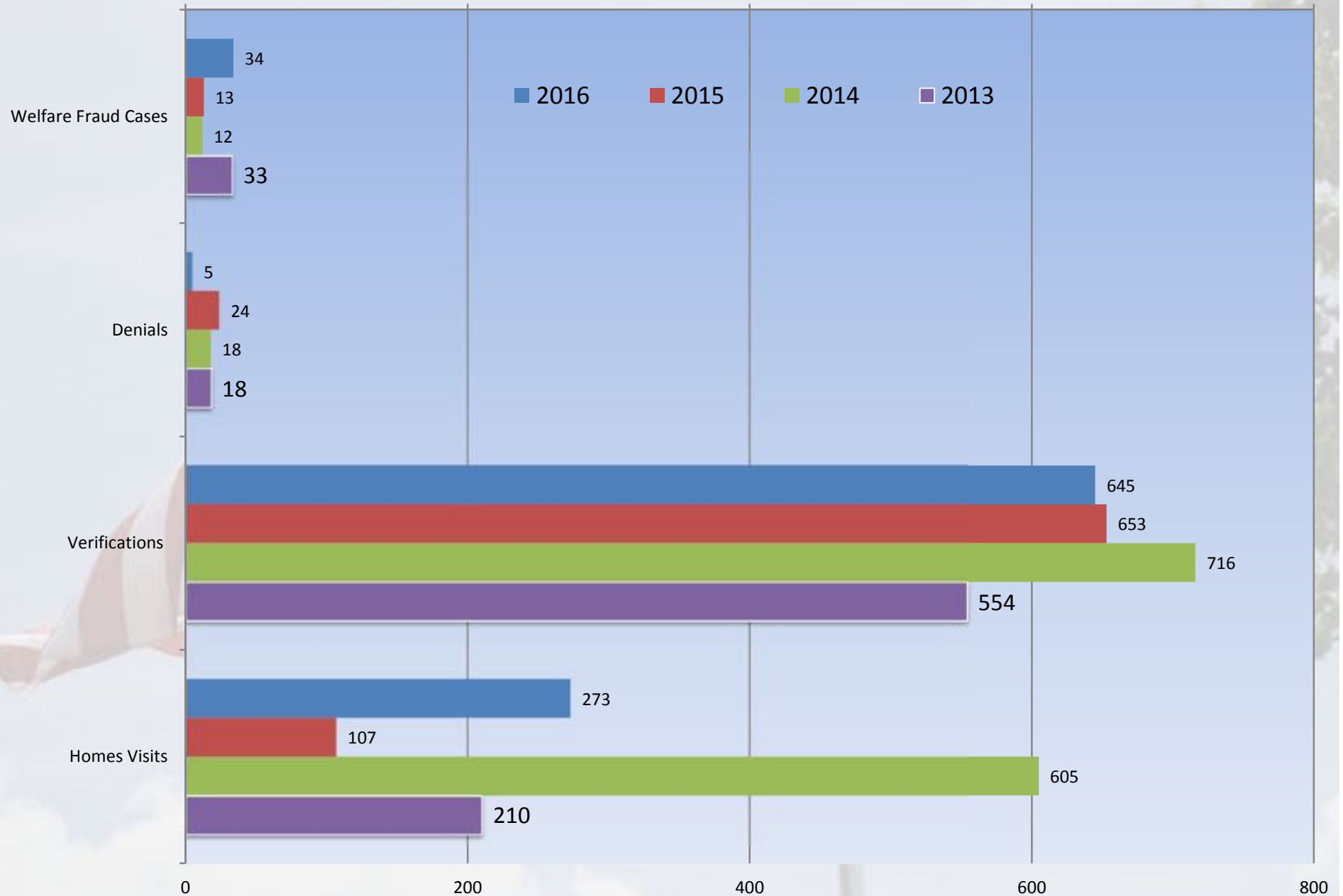
# INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION 2016 ACTIVITY



# **SHERIFFS OFFICE COLLABORATION WITH DSS**



# DSS / SHERIFF'S OFFICE STATISTICS



# **SPECIALIZED UNITS**

**K-9 PATROL**

**COUNTY DRUG TASK FORCE**

**DEA DRUG TASK FORCE**

**BOAT PATROL**

**SNOWMOBILE PATROL**

**S.E.R.T. TEAM**







**K-9 "Brucha"**



**K-9 "Odin"**

# **K-9 DIVISION**

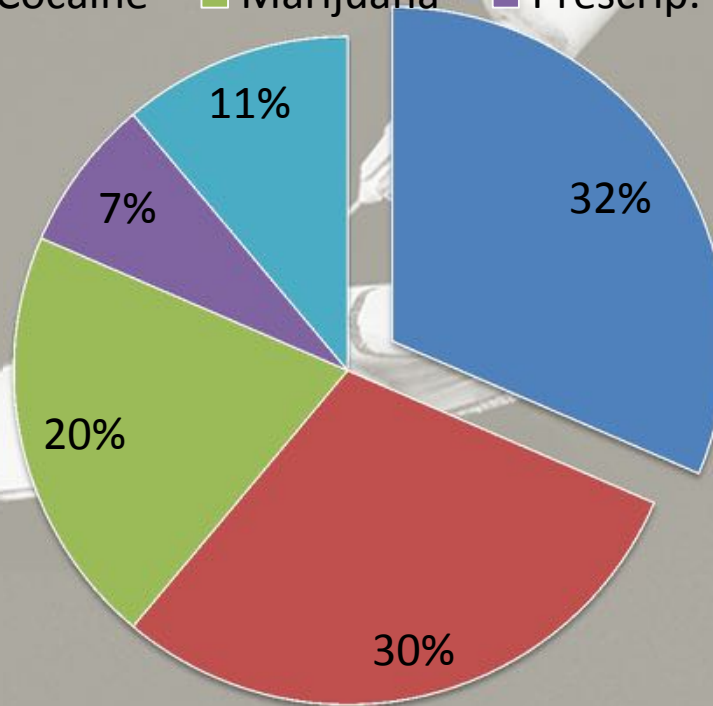
## **2016 STATISTICAL SUMMARIES**

- **TOTAL NUMBER OF TIMES K-9'S WERE UTILIZED - 240**
- **BUSINESS CHECKS - 116**
- **ALARMS - 9**
- **RESIDENTIAL CHECKS - 9**
- **RESIDENTIAL / BUILDING SEARCHES (SUSPECTS) - 8**
- **RESIDENTIAL / BUILDING SEARCHES (NARCOTICS) - 4**
- **AGENCY ASSISTS / REQUEST FOR K-9 -**
- **VEHICLES SEARCHES (NARCOTICS) - 34**
- **SCHOOL SEARCHES (NARCOTICS) - 24**
- **SUSPECT TRACKS - 16**
- **SCHOOL EVENT / DEMOS - 19**
- **LOST PERSONS - 5**

# NARCOTICS UNIT 2016

Heroin Arrests: 17   Cocaine Arrests: 7   Marijuana Arrests: 6  
Prescription Arrests: 15   Other Arrests: 10

■ Heroin   ■ Cocaine   ■ Marijuana   ■ Prescrip.   ■ Misc.





- Controlled purchases: 77
  - Total Cases: 172
  - Total Misdemeanor charges: 11
  - Total Felony Charges: 192
  - Total Arrests: 54
  - Total CI's signed on: 17
  - Total Assets Seized: \$7,133 cash, 2002 Toyota Highlander, 2002 Chevy Silverado
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- Heroin: 418 grams and 18 bags
  - Cocaine: 60 grams
  - Prescriptions: 408 Dosage units
  - Marijuana: 4 lbs. and 745 grams bags
  - Total Street Value Seized : \$49,980





# SPECIALIZED UNITS



## MARINE PATROL

Navigable waterways and lakes the Sheriff's Office may be called upon for assistance include the Hudson River, Lake George, Lake Champlain, the Champlain Canal, Cossayuna Lake, Summit Lake, Lake Lauderdale, Pine Lake, Lake Nebo, and Hadlock & Copeland Ponds. The Battenkill, Poultney and Mettawee Rivers.



# SHERIFF'S SNOWMOBILE PATROL



Washington County has within its boundaries 306 miles of snowmobile trails. Deputies have been trained in the operation of the snow machines and with the enforcement of State Parks and Recreations Laws.

# Sheriff's Emergency Response Team (S.E.R.T)



The ***Sheriff's Emergency Response Team*** is a group of Deputies who have received additional tactical training in order to more effectively respond to non-standard community emergency incidents such as:

- *HIGH-RISK ARREST & SEARCH WARRANT SERVICE*
- *BARRICADED SUBJECTS & HOSTAGE SITUATIONS*
- *ACTIVE SHOOTING INCIDENTS*
- *CORRECTIONAL FACILITY INCIDENTS*
- *HIGH-RISK PRISONER TRANSPORTATION*
- *TACTICAL WOODLAND OPERATIONS*



# S.E.R.T. SCHOOL FUNCTIONS



Active Shooter Drills



Lock-down Drills



# COMMUNITY SERVICES



The Washington County Sheriff's Office provides instructional presentations for our community on a wide range of public-safety related topics:

- SAFE-DRIVE PROGRAM
- PROM CRASH DRILLS
- ACTIVE-SHOOTER AWARENESS FOR SCHOOL FACULTIES
- SCHOOL SAFETY AND LOCK-DOWN TRAINING
- HANDGUN SAFETY COURSES FOR PISTOL PERMIT APPLICANTS
- JUVENILE FIRE-STARTER PROGRAM
- EMS & FIRE POLICE IN-SERVICE REGARDING MVA INVESTIGATION
- SCAM-AVOIDANCE FOR SENIOR CITIZEN GROUPS
- BICYCLE SAFETY RODEOS
- CAREER-DAY EVENTS AT SCHOOLS
- CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSTALLATION & INSPECTION SERVICE
- RAPE AGGRESSION DEFENSE TRAINING (RAD)
- SHERIFF'S SUMMER CAMP



# LAW ENFORCEMENT EXPLORER POST

**THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE EXPLORERS PROGRAM HAS 12  
"CADETS" CONSISTING OF FEMALE AND MALE MEMBERS  
CURRENTLY IN TRAINING.**



**SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
HAVE VOLUNTEERED THEIR TIME TO SERVE ON THE  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND TO INSTRUCT THE  
"CADETS".**

# SHERIFF'S SUMMER CAMP



- Each year children aged 9-12 from the area are chosen to join others from around the State to attend the Sheriff's Summer Camp Program.
- The camp is located at Keuka Lake in the Fingerlakes region.
- It's a great program where children interact with deputies as the conduct demonstrations such as law enforcement techniques and equipment k9 and scuba diving.







# PROM CRASH DRILLS



Sgt. Robert Sullivan oversees and conducts presentations



# COMMUNITY EVENTS





# SOCIAL MEDIA



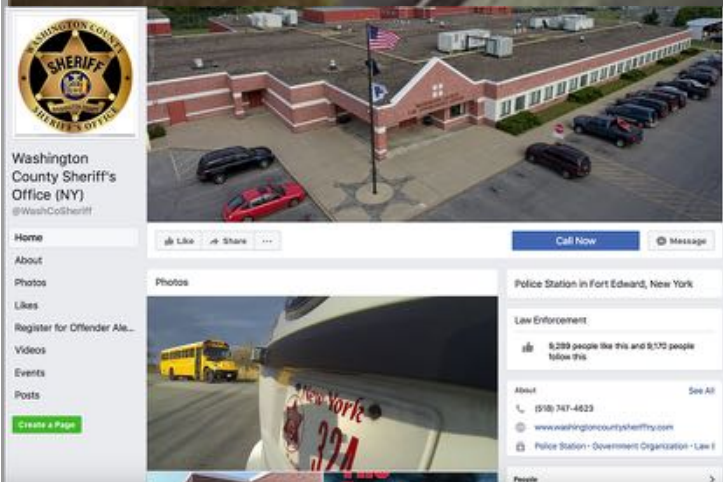
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## WEBSITE

- News Wire
- Tip Line
- Warrant List
- A look at Divisions | Community Programs
- Recent Arrests
- FAQ
- Forms | Other Information

## FACEBOOK

- Currently 9,289 likes
- Used to quickly disseminate important information to the community.
- Followed by most of the area news agencies
- Used to drive traffic to the website
- Provides a quick way to communicate back and forth with the community
- Has been successful in solving crimes with tips provided through Facebook
- Rarely have negative or vulgar comments



**WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/WASHCOSHERIFF**



**We also utilize Twitter, YouTube and Instagram**



# Washington County Fair





# RECOGNITION FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE



On October 5, 2016 the our office was recognized for our achievements in community policing with our “Community First” initiatives as part of the United States Department of Justice National Community Policing Week. The award was presented by United States Attorney for the Northern District Richard S. Hartunian.